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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of:

Slater, et al.

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For: APPARATUS, METHODS  
AND SYSTEMS FOR DIGITAL  
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Name**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)**Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an Extension of Time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a) to take the action required in the application identified in caption, as reflected by the papers submitted.

Enclosed separately is a fee transmittal form authorizing payment of the \$460 fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) for filing of a response within the third month.

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